

## Request for more Info in TOPS - Tip #64

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On TechFinder, when looking at a Success Stories, Technology, or TOPS record, a user can request more information by entering his/her email address and clicking the *Request Information* button. This will take the user to a page where he/she will enter some information about themselves. After entering the appropriate information, he/she will then click the *Request Information* button again. Normally, a page will appear, letting the user know that their request will be sent to the proper contact.

This usually ends the Request Information session, but what a some DBAs might not be aware of is the fact that they can enter a URL that leads to a web site containing more information on the TOPS record. When the user clicks the *Request Information* button after entering his/her information a new window will appear with the web site that the URL points to.

<u>Table</u>	<u>Page</u>
Success Stories:	Images, Soundbite and Associated Documents
Technology:	Related Cases/Techfinder
TOPS:	Related Technology/Keywords

One way to do this is to log into TechTracS and go to the "TOPS" table. Located a record that does not have a URL and go to the Related Technology/Keywords page. The TechFinder Request field can be found in the bottom left corner of the page. Now the URL can be entered into the Request for More Information URL field. **Make sure that the URL begins with http://!** An example of this can be seen in Figure 1 below. The same steps can be followed in the Success Stories and Technology tables.

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Figure 1

TOPS: 5 of 21 records in selection

TOPS No.  Field Center

**Related Technologies/Keywords**

**Date Entered**  **Email Notification Date**  
 **Date Released**  
☐ Release TOPS to Public

**Related Technologies**

Case #	Innovation Title	App. Filed	Patent Issued	Public Release	TOPS Appr
KSC-11943-1	A PAPERLESS PROCEDURE SYSTEM FOR FLIGHT HARDWARE AND PAYLOADS (EPIC Is An Upgraded Version)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Y	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>				
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>				


Number of Related Technologies: 1

**17 Keywords**

(EPIC  
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FLIGHT  
HARDWARE  
KSC-11670)  
MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS  
NEW

**TechFinder Requests**

**Request for More Information URL**  
  
(i.e. <http://technology.nasa.gov>)  
☐ More Information URL/CGI

  
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